

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

AFU-20 PATENT APPLICATION

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Examiner: Vinit H. Patel

Application No. 09/902,425

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PYROLYSIS PROCESSING FOR SOLID WASTE RESOURCE RECOVERY

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

## PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136(a), Applicants hereby petition for a one-month extension of time, to and including September 18, 2006, for responding to the Office Action outstanding in the instant application. Enclosed is Credit Card Payment Form PTO-2038, authorizing a charge in the amount of \$60.00, in satisfaction of the extension fee applicable under 37 CFR 1.17(a)(1). Please charge any deficiency in the amount of the fee to Deposit Account No. 502982; a copy of this paper is enclosed.

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